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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1928.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Mabel Clough has returned to her home.

Mrs. L. J. Littlehale was in Portland last week.

Stuart W. Goodwin of Norway was in town Tuesday.

D. R. Smith was up Sunday River, Newry, Monday.

Thomas Green of Bryant Pond was in town Monday.

Largest assortment of Valentines, 10 to \$1, at Lyon's.

Miss Lola Gaudet is home from Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edwards went to Portland, Wednesday.

Miss Cora Bean is the guest of relatives in Berlin, N. H.

Robert Clough has employment at the N. E. Stowell Co. mill.

Mrs. Sherman Allen is ill at her home on Spring Street.

Austin Willoughby of Dixfield was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Daniel Cole of Greenwood was a business visitor in town Monday.

Hugh D. Thurston was in Portland to attend the automobile show, Tuesday.

John Harrington was in Portland, Wednesday, to attend the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord visited Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ordway at Gilead, Sunday.

Mrs. R. B. Tibbitts reports that she heard and saw a song sparrow Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sessions of Abbott's Mills were in town Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Annie Willey has returned from a two weeks' visit in Dixfield and Buckfield.

Charles Austin and Charles Haselton are home from the University of Maine for a few days.

Mrs. Alta Bird and children were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Becker in Albany.

L. C. Hall of West Stewartstown, who has been in town the past week, returned home Saturday.

Miss Grace Nye of Augusta is in town soliciting funds for the Maine Children's Home Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farwell and children of Biddeford were recent guests of Mrs. Addie Farwell.

M. J. Marshall was at home over the week end, said the road from his camp in Grafton is good for autoing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demeritt of North Waterford were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Demeritt.

Miss Hazel Sanborn, R. N., of Portland was last week's guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

Mrs. Asa Bartlett attended the Lecturers' Convention at Augusta last week as a delegate from Bethel Grange.

Mrs. Roland Kneeland and daughter, Beverly, of West Bethel were the guests of Mrs. F. O. Robertson, Wednesday.

Maria and Emerson Clough, who have been staying with their sister, Mrs. Harry Gordon, have returned to their home.

Paul Chapman was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. John H. Wilson, in Berlin, N. H., a few days last week, and attended the carnival.

Eyes examined, glasses furnished by E. J. Greenleaf, Optometrist, over Bow's store, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week. Evening appointments may be made.

Miss Anna Littlehale was in West Paris last week caring for Miss Anna-bell Snow, who was ill with chicken pox. Miss Snow came to Bethel, Sunday, and will remain until able to resume her duties.

A surprise party was given Ashby, Tibbitts at his home on Main Street, Thursday, in honor of his 14th birthday. The time was pleasantly passed with games, after which refreshments of sandwiches, corn, ice cream and cake were served to the happy company. He was the recipient of many nice gifts. Those present were: Mrs. W. H. Thurston, Miss Kathryn Hanscom, Coburn Ayer, Frank Veiquassy, Robert Littlehale, Frank Chapman, Henry Tice, Wilson Bartlett, Miss Hazel Mosher, Miss "Betty" Delano, Miss Barbara and Kathryn Herriek, Miss Mary Thurston, Miss Louise Way, Misses Mary and Margaret Tibbitts.

School Operettas

Well Attended

A large and appreciative audience was present at William Bingham Gymnasium last Friday evening when two operettas were presented by the Grammar and Primary schools.

The parts in the operetta, Peter Rabbit, by the Primary schools were taken as follows:

Peter, Dana Brooks
Flopsy, Evelyn McMillin
Mopsy, Ethelyn McMillin
Cottontail, Parker Brown
Mother Rabbit, Rosalind Rowe
Mr. McGregor, Henry Hastings

Between the first and second operetta, the second grade Toy Band played selections and Richard Young sang "Let a Smile be Your Umbrella."

The characters of the second operetta, "A Merry Company," given by the Grammar school were:

Florence, Catherine Lyon
Charlie, Helmar Morgan
Captain, Howard Thurston
Bessie, Rosalie Thurston
Gertie, June Brown

Three Policemen, Robert Brown, Norris Brown, Donald Stanley

Little Cadeet, Richard Marshall

About \$100 was realized which will be used toward the purchase of necessary things for the two schools.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Upson went to Portland, Tuesday.

Fred Wheeler of South Paris was in town one day last week.

H. A. Baga of Bryant Pond was in town, Monday, on business.

Several from here attended the winter carnival at Berlin, Saturday.

Fred Poole of Ossipee, N. H., is a guest at the home of H. H. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winslow and Rosa Swan were in Hanover, Sunday.

Miss Edna Bean, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harvey Jones, at Lewiston returned home Saturday.

L. E. Davis of Herriek Bros. Co. left Monday afternoon for Carney, N. J. He will drive one of the new Ford's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldana Brooks went to Portland, Saturday, where they will spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Brooks.

Phyllis and Patricia Daye, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Daye, have been quite sick with bad colds, but are much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cutler returned Saturday from Lewiston where Mr. Cutler underwent an operation for the removal of tonsils.

Olga Boothman, a former graduate of Gould Academy, is at Harvard College Accounting School, and hopes to soon write C. P. A. after his name.

George Tibbitts spent the week end with his parents at Hanover, returning to West Bethel, Sunday, where he has employment in the N. E. Stowell Co. mill.

Miss Katherine Gale, who has been ill for some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bibee, has so far recovered as to be able to go to her home in Fryeburg. Her mother, Mrs. Gale, has been caring for her.

Allice Maudt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maudt, writes that she is at present with her party in Rome to remain until the middle of February. Had had a sight of the King and Queen and enjoyed a view of the Coliseum by moonlight.

Mr. Sander Joshi (Elaa Rendall) writes her aunt, Mrs. A. E. K. Grover, that she and her sister, Miss Ruth Maudt, have opened a dress-making parlor at 37 Brattle Street, Cambridge, Mass. They both have an extended social and business acquaintance.

Gay Perkins and two other men were returning from Sunday river, Sunday afternoon with a horse and sleigh. The horse got frightened by a sleigh. The horse got frightened by a sleigh. The horse got frightened by a sleigh.

Miss Laurence Lord entertained at bridge last Wednesday afternoon. The guests were: Mrs. Wade Thurston, Mrs. Nahum Moore, Mrs. Irving Carver, Mrs. Arthur Herriek, Mrs. Myron Bry, Mrs. Charles Swan, Mrs. Earle Davis, Mrs. Ernest Bibee, Mrs. E. Grace Van Den Kerckhoven, Miss Margaret Hanson and Evaline Kimball. Mrs. Davis won first prize and Mrs. Van Den Kerckhoven the consolation. Refreshments were served.

Meeting of

Budget Committee

Members of the Budget Committee are requested to meet at the Selectmen's office, February 11, 1928. Meeting will be called at 10 A. M. This will be an open meeting to anyone interested in the matters to come before this committee.

The members of the Budget Committee for 1928:

Henry W. Boyker,
Arnold R. Brown,
John H. Howe,
Frank E. Russell,
Arthur E. Herriek,
Alonso B. Chapman,
Paul C. Thurston,
Dana G. Morrill,
Blumer A. Frank,
Irving L. Carver,
Nahum P. Moore,
Wm. C. Bryant.

MASON

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton and daughter from Bethel were Sunday guests at E. H. Morrill's.

Ell Grover worked at Ram's grain store, Bethel, several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Merrill and baby are stopping at A. J. Heath's at present.

School closed Friday for a short vacation. The teacher, Miss Vivian Eagle, of Hanover returned home Friday evening.

Paul and Walter Grover were at Bethel, Saturday.

True Browne and Charlie Chase, who are driving team for J. A. McKenzie, are now stopping at the camp.

John Frechette now has the greater part of his pulp landed on Pleasant River and is now hauling to what is known as the Lovell brook.

ALBANY

George Briggs went to Bethel last Thursday.

Fred Littlefield is cutting and hauling pine from the Twaddle lot on Bell hill.

Carlton and Elmer Saunders were called home last week by the critical illness and death of their mother.

Edith Canwell was home over the week end.

Will Grover has gone to Lovell to work.

Elbridge Bird is cutting and hauling birch to Littlefield's mill.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle of Bethel was in town last Tuesday, calling on his patients.

Dreston Flint and Walter Canwell went to Bethel, Saturday, after a load of grain.

Mrs. Etta Saunders, wife of G. H. Saunders, passed away Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Littlefield. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon.

Middle Intervale Road

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Coolidge and children were at their grandparents' Sunday P. M.

Edgar Coolidge was a caller at his father's one day last week.

Herman Bennett and Gardner Herriek were callers at Douglas Phipps', Sunday evening.

Alton Paine was called to Albany, Sunday, by the serious illness of his grandmother, Mrs. Oja Saunders, who passed away during the afternoon.

Mrs. Bird visited her aunt in Albany, Sunday, and left her oldest girl with her for a week's stay.

Jim Marshall was a caller at J. P. Coolidge's, Saturday.

A party of ladies from Paris and Norway were entertained by Mrs. Mary Wheeler of South Paris at Bethel Inn on Thursday. Luncheon was served and the afternoon was spent at bridge. The guests were: Mrs. Fannie Hanson, Mrs. L. L. Mason, Mrs. Margaret Bowker, Mrs. Louisa Stewart, Mrs. Gertrude Littlefield, Mrs. Bessie Littlefield, Mrs. Carrie Hall, Mrs. Emma Hubbard of West Paris, Mrs. Grace Brown, Mrs. Blanche Smith, Mrs. Marion Jefferson and Mrs. Alice Stearns of Norway.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

The train schedule in effect on the Canadian National Railway is as follows beginning Sunday, Sept. 23:

Portland trains leave Bethel at 8:01 A. M. and 4:49 P. M. daily. Sunday, 8:01 A. M. and 4:47 P. M.

Island Pond trains leave Bethel at 8:01 A. M. and 4:47 P. M. Sunday, 8:01 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

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The Oxford County

United Parish

Some Done's, Doings and To Do's of Parish Activities

Is any one still asking, "What is this United Parish?" It is a grouping of a half dozen rural communities for more efficient church and parish work.

It embraces Albany, North Lovell, North Waterford, East Waterford, South Waterford, Waterford and East Stoneham. Six churches with seven preaching places. It employs a pastoral staff of three ministers, who specialize in spiritual culture, religious education and social activities.

During the present winter there is being maintained at South Waterford a week-day school of religious education, to which the children who are too remote to attend Sunday School are brought for a two-hour school on Saturday afternoon.

At Waterford there is being held a semi-weekly "church night," at which half hours of devotion, Bible study, junior Christian training, vocal music and world service are interspersed with refreshments and recreation.

At North Waterford there has been organized a Community Betterment Club, which meets regularly to consider such matters as better roads, fire protection, amusements, etc.

These features it is hoped to introduce into other parts of the parish if they are found to succeed in the communities where they are now being tried.

Every other week a moving picture is shown in each community. This week is being shown a film of Zane Grey's novel, "The Wild Horse Mesa." The regular rotation is: Tuesday, North Waterford; Wednesday, South Waterford; Thursday, East Stoneham; Friday, North Lovell. This feature is much appreciated, as is shown by the attendance which is very gratifying for country communities in winter.

The Waterford Federated Sunday School has recently contributed \$100 to Near East Relief, and has had assigned to it an Armenian orphan girl whose maintenance in an orphanage is thus provided for one year. Last week the little girl's picture, life story and name, (Arax Humanian) were received, and the children of the Sunday School anticipate exchanges of letters with Arax.

Sunday evening at South Waterford Mr. Townsend gave a lecture on "The Glory that is Maine," using the stereopticon slides and lecture prepared by the Maine Missionary Society. This may be repeated at the next "church night" at Waterford Feb. 1st. It will later be used in the other churches of the parish.

Plans for the winter carnival to be held at North Waterford Feb. 23th are well under way, and rehearsals for the drama to be given in the evening are being held weekly.

Watch also for the stereopticon lecture on the Life of Lincoln to be given throughout the parish in late February and early March.

BASKETBALL GAMES

HANOVER TOWN TEAM 36.

MEN'S GYM CLASS 28

HANOVER G F T

Darep, rf, 10 1 21

S. Martin, lf, 3 1 7

Blake, c, 0 0 0

Richardson, c, 4 0 0

Bartlett, rf, 0 0 0

H. Stearns, lf, 0 0 0

Totals, 17 2 36

BETHEL G F T

R. Chase, rf, 4 0 8

E. Davis, lf, 3 0 6

Williamson, c, 0 0 0

Parsons, c, 2 1 11

McAllister, rf, 0 0 0

E. Chase, lf, 0 0 0

Totals, 13 2 26

Referee, Kennedy. Score, 36-26.

Time, 48 min. Bethel led at the end of the half, Parsons outstanding for Bethel.

BETHEL 21. HANOVER 16

The game between Hanover girls and the Bethel Women's Gym Class last Thursday evening resulted in a score of 21-16 in favor of Bethel. The line up was as follows:

HANOVER G F T

L. Stone, rf, 10 1 21

E. Kimball, lf, 3 1 7

Stowe, c, 0 0 0

B. Lyman, lf, 4 0 8

Durep, rf, 0 0 0

F. French, lf, 0 0 0

Totals, 17 2 36

Referee, Kennedy. Score, 21-16.

Time, 48 min. Bethel led at the end of the half, Parsons outstanding for Bethel.

Gould Academy Notes

Mr. Brasher and Billy Myers spent the week end in Lewiston.

The Girl Reserves held an interesting meeting last week when the members entered into a lively discussion concerning the work and value of the club. Many of the girls voiced their appreciation of the organization because of what it had done for them in a personal way, while others stressed its importance in the social and spiritual life of the school. A violin solo by Barbara Herriek, with Kathryn Herriek as accompanist, was much enjoyed.

On Tuesday afternoon of this week, Mrs. H. D. Thurston spoke to the girls on the subject, "Nursing as a Life Work." Mrs. Thurston explained the trying experiences which a nurse must pass through but she also stressed the joy and satisfaction to be found in giving one's self to relieve the sufferings of humanity. Miss Louise Way added to the pleasure of the meeting by playing one of her delightful piano solos.

JOHN FOX FIRST AT BERTIN

Gould's one entry in the Berlin Winter Carnival came through with flying colors winning first place in the 3-mile cross country ski race. Fox won easily from a large field of entries and was awarded a silver loving cup and ribbon.

The Gould basketball teams, both girls and boys, go to South Paris this Friday to meet the South Paris H. S. teams. South Paris is reported to be represented by unusually strong teams this year, and are sure to make Gould go their limit. South Paris plays return game at Bethel, Friday, Feb. 10.

A large group of boys not out for basketball are training for various forms of winter sports. These making a creditable showing will be entered in the carnival at Rumford, the 13th and 14th.

John Fox will probably go to Augusta this Friday to enter the carnival there.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL 15.

FRESHMEN 8

The Grammar School boys trounced the over-confident freshman team by a good margin Saturday night 15 to 8.

Yashaw starred for the Grammar School while the Freshmen failed to star.

Grammar School G F T

Yashaw, rf, 0 1 5

T. Bartlett, lf, 4 0 8

Blake, c, 3 0 6

Stanley, rf, 0 0 0

Brown, lf, 0 0 0

Totals, 7 1 15

Freshmen G F T

Twaddle, rf, 2 0 4

Hingkey, lf, 0 0 0

Littlehale, rf, 0 0 0

Bean, lf, 0 0 0

Veiquassy, c, 0 0 0

L. Bartlett, rf, 0 0 0

Bartlett, lf, 2 0 4

Totals, 4 0 8

OXFORD 28, GOULD 2nd 28

Gould Academy second team defeated Oxford High School first team in one of the best games seen on the local court, Saturday night 28-26. Gould won the game in the last quarter by the fast playing of Adams and Parsons.

Oxford was represented by a clean fast team with Doughty and Perkins as the shining lights.

Gould G F T

Adams, lf, 0 1 5

Wheeler, lf, 2 0 4

Adams, rf, 3 1 7

Parsons, c, 2 0 4

Parsons, lf, 4 0 8

Saunders, rf, 0 0 0

York, rf, 0 0 0

Totals, 13 2 28

Oxford G F T

Doughty, lf, 9 3 21

Bentley, rf, 1 1 3

Perkins, c, 1 0 2

Dunn, lf, 0 0 0

Hoyes, rf, 0 0 0

Totals, 11 4 26

Referee, Chase. Time 48 min.

H. C. Howe was in South Paris Tuesday night and installed the officers in the Masonic Lodge there.

Dr. and Mrs. George M. Twitchell celebrated the 58th anniversary of their marriage Thursday, Jan. 26th, at their home on Pleasant Street, Auburn, and many friends called during the day to extend congratulations. Dr. Twitchell is widely known throughout Maine for his work in the Grange and in agricultural work.

FARM BUREAU NEWS

According to information received from Donald W. Reed, farm management specialist of the extension service who is to assist County Agent Donald H. Ridley at the first of the seven farm management meetings, 39 lantern slides of pictures taken on the 58 farms where labor income was doubled in five years will be shown and discussed and charts will be used.

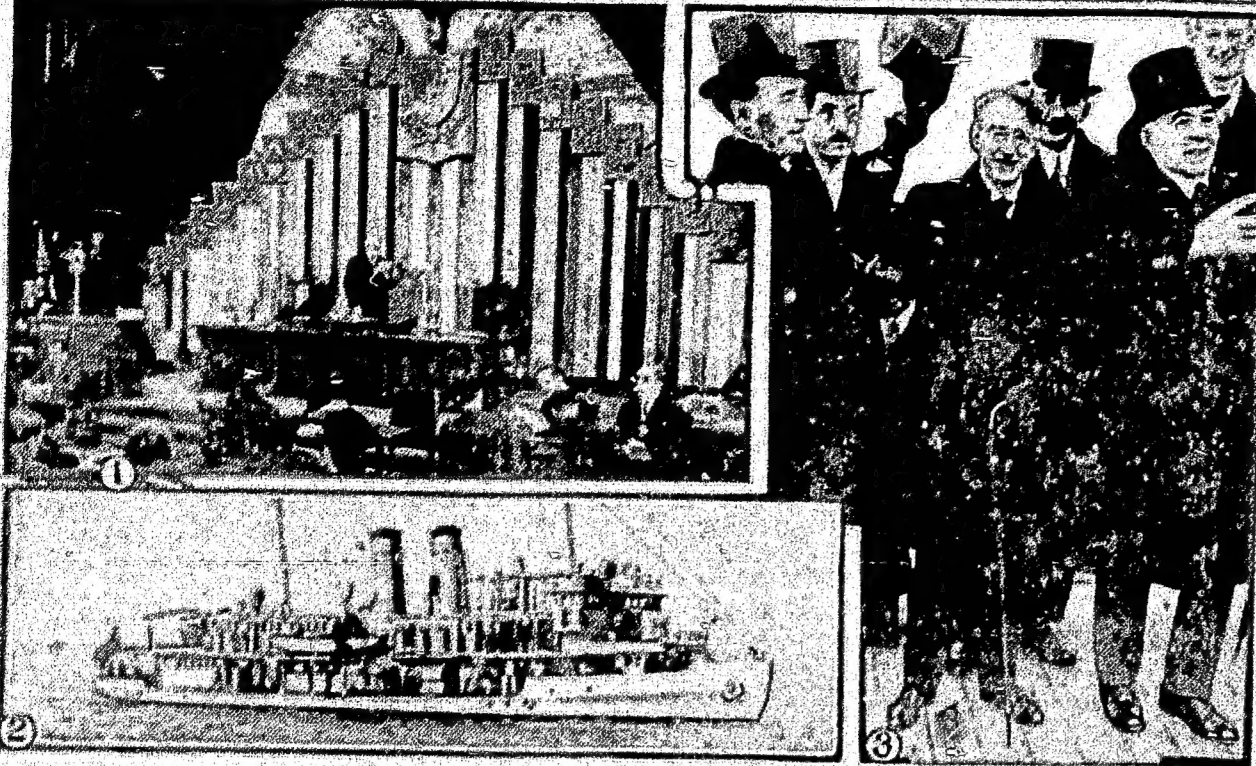
The farm management meetings held in this county last year were very successful, as shown by the large attendance. They have proven interesting in all counties.

Following the showing of slides, there will be an opportunity to discuss local farm problems and make an analysis of the farm business to determine where the "leaks" are. It is expected this feature of the meetings will prove very valuable.

Complete plans have been made for the meetings, which are to be all day sessions beginning at 10 A. M., and ending at about 3:30 o'clock. Committees have been in charge of local arrangements. Meetings are scheduled as follows: Tuesday, Feb. 14, Hiram, K. P. Hall, J. M. Moore in charge of local plans. Wednesday, Feb. 15, Denmark Grange Hall, J. E. Kezar in charge; Thursday, Feb. 16, Buckfield Grange Hall, C. A. Allen in charge; Friday, Feb. 17, Bethel Grange Hall, T. H. Wilson in charge.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH



1—Pan-American conference in session in University of Havana. 2—New United States gunboat Guam, built for duty on the Yangtze river, China, undergoing speed trial. 3—President Cosgrave of Irish Free State (in center) and his party in Washington.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Roed Headquarters Opened—Plain Facts for the Latin Americans.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

JAMES A. REED, senior senator from Missouri, is now a fully developed candidate for the Democratic nomination for President. With his full knowledge and consent, campaign headquarters have been opened in the Washington hotel in which he resides, and Lee Meriwether of St. Louis, in charge, has issued a statement likening Reed to Andrew Jackson and setting forth some of the reasons why the Democrats should nominate him at the Houston convention. In telling how the senator stands on various issues Mr. Meriwether was silent concerning prohibition. Mr. Reed is known to be a wet, but he insists that prohibition is not properly a partisan question. His friends believe that, by keeping that issue in the background, he may be found to be a good compromise candidate in case Al Smith encounters as large and determined an opposition as he did in 1924.

With the exception of this Reed boom and the Hoelin enthusiasm in the senate the progress of Al Smith toward the nomination seems not seriously impeded. His supporters grow more confident daily, and the Democratic drive has yet to find an available opponent. Many of them are apparently disposed to accept Smith's assurance that he is an upholder of the Constitution in its entirety. In New York they are debating whether or not it would be wise for the governor to attend the convention. Jesse Jones of Houston is being talked of as Smith's running mate.

Hoover and Landon are racing hard for the Republican nomination, with Curtis, Willis and others trailing. The Illinois still depends largely on the farm relief issue, trusting that the McNary-Hughes measure must be passed and that the qualification fee feature cannot be omitted. His critics think perhaps his platform is too narrow and its main plank too shaky.

Senator Borah of Idaho, who thinks the Republican platform should contain a strong plank on prohibition enforcement, announced some time ago that he would question every candidate on his stand on prohibition. The first to be quizzed and to reply was Senator Curtis of Kansas. In a letter to Borah he said:

"While I have no desire to dictate what shall be in the next national Republican platform, I personally, favor a plank referring to the Eighteenth amendment and the laws enacted to carry it into effect and I favor the plank placing the nomination to a fair, vigorous and faithful enforcement of them. In my opinion, it is the greatest moral issue of all ages and public sentiment demands that both of the political parties declare themselves unequivocally upon it.

"Should I be nominated and elected President, I favor enforcing the laws against and before in the strict and energetic enforcement of the laws to carry out the constitutional amendment.

"I am opposed to a policy which will allow any state to determine for itself the absolute extent of beverage to be manufactured, sold, and transported throughout the country."

In Missouri the La Follette anti-alcohol law has been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court and adopted a 100 per cent beer during the last year. It is a confirmed dry. Lee does not seem to be pleased on the Republican platform table in Wisconsin and April, and probably that of Hoover.

REPUBLICAN were in the senate have made a promise of making the Democratic Southern drive successful. The representatives in the House of the Democratic and Republican members to the Constitution. Last week Senator Borah of Virginia

deemed the time had come to reply, and he delivered a long prepared speech defending the Southern states in this matter. He stated that they are violating the Fifteenth amendment prohibiting the states from denying or abridging the right of citizens to vote "on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude." Admitting that many negroes have been eliminated as voters, he asserted that this has resulted from imposition of educational and property qualifications, requirements as to length of residence, and payment of poll taxes. All of these regulations have been sustained by the courts as within the provisions of the Fifteenth amendment, he declared.

Lively debate followed. Senator Bruce of Maryland, a Democratic well known, insisting that the Southern states have evaded the Fifteenth amendment, whether within or without the authority of the Constitution, and that the situation is comparable with that existing under the Eighteenth amendment applying to prohibition. "It seems to me," he said, "that we who are opposed to the Eighteenth amendment ought to be permitted to apply the same ingenuity, not to say chicanery, to evade its provisions."

Senator Glass of Virginia supported the position of Senator Swanson, and Senator Borah rose to state that careful study of the laws of the Southern states had convinced him none of them violated the Fifteenth amendment.

He then irrepressibly amused the packed senate galleries by another tirade against the Catholic church whose agents, he declared, had threatened to poison him. He also denounced some of the newspaper men in the press gallery as "squirrel-headed and cowardly pen pushers."

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE of the Irish Free State, after a swift trip to Chicago, spent several busy days in Washington as the guest of the government. Formal calls were exchanged with President Coolidge and other high officials, and on Wednesday Mr. Cosgrave was received with extraordinary honors on the floor of the house of representatives and the senate. Speaker Langworth and Vice President Dawes announced his coming in each house and all the members were introduced and shook his hand. Mr. Cosgrave said he considered this the greatest honor paid to Ireland in all the ages. Before going to the capital, he laid a wreath on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and also visited Mount Vernon and spent hours inspecting the Washington relics. On the stone coffin of the first President he placed a handsome wreath tied with the Irish national colors.

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, head of the United States delegation to Havana, has publicly but daily told the Pan American conference the position of his government on matters that have aroused criticism. He said that the United States has no imperialistic aims anywhere in Latin America and intends to withdraw from Nicaragua and Haiti as soon as order and something like a stable government have been established. But he made it plain that he was prepared to continue to dominate the area about the Panama and Nicaragua canal routes, that we will not let the Pan-American union be made into a political institution, and that we will enter no international convention that claims a right to interfere in what the United States considers its personal affairs. Several scores contradicting these principles already have been handed out by Mr. Hughes and his colleagues, and now it looks as if in the main they will be ignored or let alone by the conference. To the committee on recognition of the Pan American union, the United States proposed that there be compulsory treaty ratification among the American countries, this being aimed mainly at our high tariff policy, and when the plan met strong opposition he declared he would not sign the recognition convention without it. Mr. Hughes proposed that the chairmanship of the governing board be rotated so that the United States should hold the position only once in twenty years, but this idea had little support in the conference.

MAJOR GENERAL LEISUNE, commander of the marine corps, made an airplane inspection of the part of northern Nicaragua that has been infested with Sandino's rebels, and returned to Managua hopeful that there would be no further bloodshed. The bandits seemed to be dispersed. Major Young's column of marines occupied their base at El Chipote from which they were dislodged recently by air attacks. The marines were still searching for Sandino himself but his whereabouts were unknown. The Nicaraguan government heard he had been reinforced by a considerable number of well armed men from the east coast. Brig. Gen. Frank McCoy, appointed to supervise the Nicaraguan elections, has arrived at Managua.

RESTED and refreshed by days of hunting and fishing, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh on Thursday resumed his good will tour of Latin America, hopping off from France field, Colombia, for Cartagena, Colombia. He had intended to start Friday and fly direct to Bogota, but suddenly changed his plans. His route takes him from Bogota to Caracas, Venezuela, and thence to St. Thomas, Porto Rico, Santo Domingo, Haiti and Havana, reaching the Cuban city on February 8. The French flyers, Costes and Lebriz, who reached Havana while Lindbergh was there, made a quick flight to Venezuela and Barranquilla, Colombia, before starting for the United States.

Bert Acosta, transatlantic flyer, got into trouble last week. First a warrant for his arrest was issued at Hackensack, N. J., for taking away a plane which had been attached by the sheriff, and then in Naugatuck, Conn., he was sentenced to jail for flying too low over the town.

MAILMAN T. EVERHART, non-lawyer of Albert I. Fall, finally has told the senate public lands committee about the Liberty bonds in the Teapot Dome case. He testified that Harry F. Sinclair gave the then secretary of the interior the \$250,000 in Liberty bonds found in Fall's bank account soon after Sinclair's Mammoth Oil company obtained from Fall a lease on the navy's oil reserve. He said they were ostensibly payment for a third interest in the reorganized Teapot Dome and Land company owned by Fall and Mrs. Everhart. Everhart's testimony daily opposed the frequent assertions of Sinclair's counsel that the latter knew nothing of the bonds and received none of the profits of the famous "confidence" Trading company, Ltd., transaction. Everhart gave a lot of testimony that in the aggregate seemed damaging to Fall and Sinclair.

WALL ST. alarmists among the officers of the army and navy are urged by President Coolidge to be more moderate in their statements, for he thinks their predictions of hostilities and their other propaganda in favor of larger defense appropriations are doing damage to international relations. He sees no way of curbing such officers short of officially muzzling them, and this he believes would cause general protest throughout the nation. In putting forth these views the President alluded especially to a statement attributed to Rear Admiral Plunkett in New York to the effect that war between the United States and her commercial competitors was inevitable. Mr. Coolidge holds that there is no serious threat of attack from any foreign government and that of course the United States has no hostile attitude toward any other nation. Admiral Plunkett's statement was so severely criticized abroad, especially in England. The Soviet Russians took it for granted that he meant Great Britain and rather than that an Anglo-American war is imminent, with a row over oil as the immediate cause.

There were indications that the house committee on naval affairs would sanction the huge naval building program for which Secretary Wilbur and the admirals have been arguing.

MAJ. GEN. GEORGE W. GOE THALS, holder of the Panama canal and first governor of the Canal zone, died in New York after a long illness, deeply mourned by a host of friends and admirers. His body was taken to West Point, where he was graduated in 1890.

Griff May Use Sis in Garden

CLARK GRIFFITH is playing poker with Cleveland. Of course he is next to Cleveland's attitude in the Judge affair, that Billy Evans intends to play a waiting game, writes Henry P. Edwards in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

As a result, he now intimates that he will keep Judge on first base and send George Slater to the outfield in place of Tris Speaker. To make his talk sound reasonable he says that Slater's eyes bothered him in catching low-thrown balls during the 1927 campaign and that he never had any trouble in pulling down fly balls.

Slater occasionally played in the outfield during his early days with the Browns after he had inaugurated his major league career as a third baseman. Then he shifted to pitching and wound up as a first baseman where he became one of the best in the business. He certainly is fast enough to play the outfield, but if it is Griffith's intention to use fielders, including West, Gansel, Kloss and Simons? Speaking of Griffith, he apparently does not regard the southpaw pitching section of his hurling staff any too optimistically. Otherwise, he would not have been so eager to get Joe Shute of the Indians, Washington already has four left handed throwers in Braxton, Zachary, Ed Wells and Lloyd Brown.

Braxton, however, is regarded merely as a relief pitcher. As such, he is a star. Although he did not pitch a complete game in 1927, he took part in 59 contests, working 150 innings. He is credited with winning nine and losing eight. He ranked sixth among American league pitchers in the point of effectiveness, allowing only 41 earned runs. When the number of innings he pitched is taken into consideration, he might be said to lead the league in strikeouts as he breezed 90 batters. And here is George Slater.



Tries for Olympics



The photograph is of Betty Slack, one of the speed artists of the Illinois Women's Athletic club track team at Chicago, getting ready for a fast start. She hopes to run at Amsterdam next summer.

McCarthy Thinks Well

of Riggs Stephenson

One can hardly get Joe McCarthy to talk about the methods he uses in keeping his club out in front, but he will say a word of praise for the various individuals who have figured prominently in the Chicago drive for the flag. McCarthy can see good in every one of his players, and if there's any fault to be found Mac is not the one to discuss it. The other day he was asked about various outfielders in the league and he gave his opinion of each in turn. When he got down to the flat he discussed Riggs Stephenson, his left fielder, who has the reputation for being a star hitter in the pinches. His average of .410 has been a big factor in the offensive strength of the Cubs, but as American league fans know him best as an infielder, McCarthy's opinion of his merit as an outer garden is important. "Blowson, as the boys call Stephenson, is a great judge of a fly ball," he asserted. "He is fast and can cover a great deal of ground. He can hit any kind of pitching and is a smart base runner. That weak arm, about which something has been said, has not appeared in any games we have played, as several smart runners realized when they were trapped by his throws to the plate. Stephenson is a clean-living athlete, one who gives a manager no worry about keeping in condition. He neither smokes nor drinks and is an early-to-bed player."

No Champion 3-Year-Old Was Developed in 1927

Among the three-year-olds of 1927 no outstanding colt was developed. About five thoroughbreds can lay claim to honors in that division. They are: Brown Red, Whistery, Bostonian, Duddy Bader and Jack. The championship of the older division went to Walter J. Salomon's Fair Play, a colt, Diaply. This horse took down first money in a number of large stakes in various parts of the country and owns victories over some of the best horses now racing. Among his achievements are triumphs in the Toronto Cup, Champagne and Washington handicaps. His earnings for the season total \$78,025.

Tiger Did His Praying After Fight Was Over

Tiger Flowers, the "Praying Deacon," who died recently, was fearful of the effects of pre-fight prayers upon his ring career. He explained this by saying: "I wouldn't pray to the Lord for victory before a fight because I might meet a better man, a stronger man, and then I might think that the Lord hadn't answered my prayers and I might be tempted to doubt Him. So I always wait, and when the fight is over I thank God for the strength that brought me safely through, and then I read my Bible."

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

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Bureau of Aids Pro

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Again, in the dietary studies, what foods are actually consumed in the groups of food, and how completely they nutritive needs, information for the guidance of consumers, and also for use of programs directed to consumer through radio, newspaper articles, bulletins, agencies carrying on good nutrition. Other studies may reveal the reasons for consumption of certain food, as in the case of the present study.

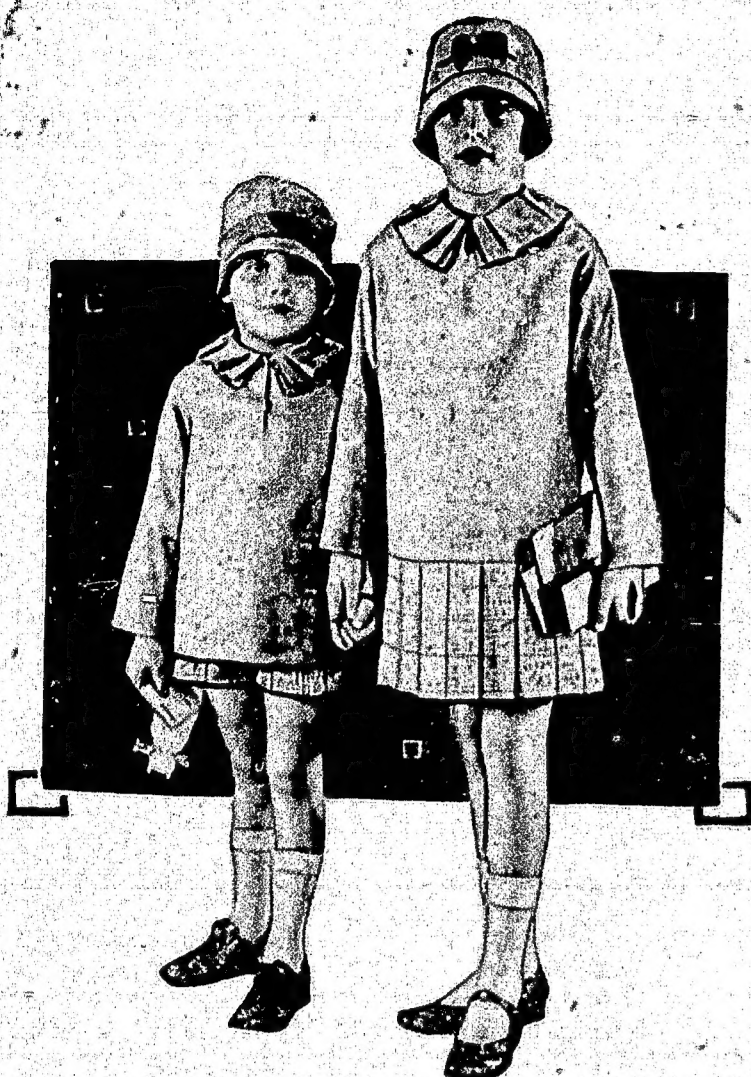
Food

most wholesome diet will be enjoyed by old le

Beets, Stuffed Spinach—Select them sized to suit them well. Put in a baking dish and put a half cup of water in each. Bake in a moderate oven for 15 minutes. Add a little butter and salt. Serve hot.

Dressing Little Folks

***** By JULIA BOTTOMLEY *****



or tweed ensemble of coats with hats to match.

The duplicate idea evidently pleases, and we are going to see more of it this spring and summer. Among pretty big-and-little sister frocks for the coming seasons are models with skirts of platted jersey, topped with blouses of the jersey in contrasting hue, the material of the skirt carried into the waist in a trimming way.

Clothes which are "related" as here pictured will be seen on "junior" and his sister at the smart Southland winter resorts from now on. The brother-and-sister outfit in this illustration is fashioned of homespun platted wool combined with solid colored crepe. The platted collars and similar details are carried out in duplicate.

Saving mothers can easily secure patterns which are similar, for boys and for girls. With the materials identical, one can make at home these cunning "twin" outfits. Also one can buy read-mades for tiny tot and big sister which are exactly alike, as the stores are now making a specialty of "repeat" models.

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APPLE TARTS

A novel and delicious apple tart suggested by the United States Department of Agriculture is a sauce of grated pineapple spread over the top after it is baked, and above that a delicately browned meringue.

South Carolina's History

South Carolina seceded from the Union, to be the first of the Confederate States of America, on December 20, 1860. The history of this state is divided into the periods of discovery, exploration, proprietary and royal rule and statehood.

The Bedtime Story

—By—
MARY GRAHAM BONNER

"I'd like to tell you about myself," said one of the animals in the zoo.

"Well, I'd be charmed to hear," said the red fox politely.

"There is my cousin, the Swift, or the Kit fox, as he is sometimes known, but I have a far nicer name, a more generous name."

"What is your name, creature?" asked the red fox. "I think I know it, but of course I would like to be sure."

"Of course you would," said the creature.

"Then tell me," said the red fox. "My name is Large-Eared Swift," said the animal.

"That's what I thought," said the red fox. "You are very much like your cousin, the Swift, or Kit fox, aren't you?"

"Yes, our ways are very much alike," said the Large-Eared Swift. "But pray tell me, why did you say you had such a generous name?" asked the red fox.

"Can't you tell for yourself?"

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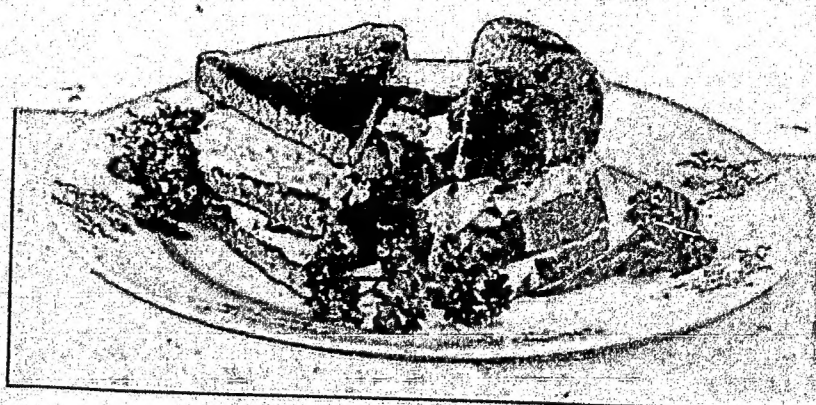
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Tasty Club Sandwich Can Be Easily Made



Club Sandwiches With Cottage or Cream Cheese Filling.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

All sorts of good combinations of flavors are possible in club sandwiches, which might well be used more often for an easily prepared Sunday night supper or for other luncheons. When you order a club sandwich in a restaurant you usually expect to be served a three-layered sandwich made of toast, with two filled sections, usually containing some lettuce, a slice of chicken, a slice of tomato, a little ham or bacon, and mayonnaise dressing to moisten. Both sections of the sandwich may be alike, or the ingredients may be distributed as you please, provided that the total combination is a palatable blend.

It is not necessary to use chicken every time you make club sandwiches. Veal, lamb, pork, or other cold meats may be used, or cottage or cream cheese. The last makes an excellent filling because it can be combined with various other flavors in an appetizing way. For example, cottage cheese with nut meats and slices of nut tender apple, in addition to the dressed lettuce, sliced Spanish onion and to-

mato also go well with the cottage cheese, and cucumber may be used during its season.

The bureau of home economics says that the secret of making and serving any club sandwiches successfully is to have all the ingredients assembled conveniently for rapid work. Do not undertake to make these sandwiches for a large group of people unless you are sure of being able to fill and serve them before the toast cools.

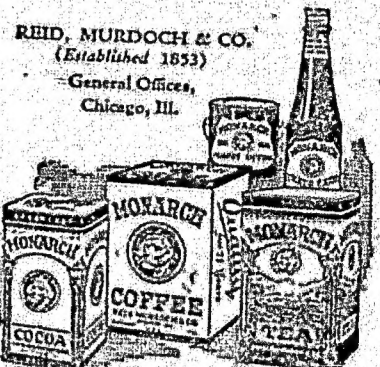
Suppose you are ready to make the sandwich illustrated. Your cottage cheese mixed with chopped green pepper, lettuce, mayonnaise, and sliced tomato are before you on the kitchen work table. While you are trimming the bread, fry the bacon. On a slice of toast spread the cheese generously, lay on a leaf of lettuce, add mayonnaise, slices of tomato, and strips of bacon. Cover with another slice of toast, add more filling, and top with a third slice of toast. Cut the sandwich diagonally with a very sharp knife, garnish with a small pickle or olives or radishes, and serve immediately. Sandwiches of this type are intended to be eaten with a knife and fork.



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—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Letting Her Down
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Bureau of Home Economics Aids Producer and Consumer

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

From one point of view much of the investigation work of the bureau of home economics might be said to be between the producers of household commodities and the home consumers. Its findings often serve as a guide to production or distribution, and at the same time may be used by the consumer as an aid in selection and use of household equipment and materials. The work is of assistance to each group in a different sense.

The recently inaugurated household investigation studies are a good example of the two-sided function of the bureau of home economics. These studies, aided by the financial co-operation of manufacturers of ice and mechanical refrigerating units, are aimed at obtaining facts to guide the design and distribution policies of the manufacturers, and also to enable the consumer to select and operate her box or mechanical refrigerator to her best advantage.

Again, in the dietary studies, which show what foods are actually being consumed in the groups of families surveyed, and how completely these foods meet nutritive needs, information is enabled for the guidance of food producers, and also for use in educational programs directed toward the consumer through radio releases, newspaper articles, bulletins and other agencies carrying information of good nutrition. Other studies may reveal to the producer the reasons for conditions in particular lines, as in the case of the present use of cotton

fabrics for clothing and household articles.

Again, the bureau offers a neutral territory for the meeting of equipment manufacturers and homemakers, as in the permanent exhibits of different makes and types of washing machines, ironing machines and sewing machines.

In the annual report for 1927, Dr. Louise Stanley, chief of the bureau of home economics, outlines its three main branches of work—foods and nutrition, economic studies and clothing and textiles—and indicates the investigations now going on in each division. As most of the research work of the bureau consists of long-time projects, the report is chiefly a statement of progress.

In the food and nutrition division the principal lines of work are the vitamin studies, co-operation in the project dealing with palatability of meat, the collection of data on the chemical composition of foods, and the co-operative study of household refrigeration.

Dietary studies have been given especial attention in the economic division, which is continuing its analysis of clothing and other household expenditures, and the studies of the use of the housewife's time in order to determine the most needed household equipment. This section has also undertaken a study of the changes in the consumer demand for cotton fabrics, and the reasons for those changes.

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Wool Material for Tailored Frock

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Every one needs at least one trim tailored, wool dress for winter street wear, and the woman who goes to an office or a classroom may need several to alternate with each other. A coat frock of any lightweight wool material is an excellent type for the medium or stout figure, since the lines are usually long, and the design simple.

A most attractive coat frock of wool voile is illustrated by the bureau of home economics. Other materials such as wool crepe or wool georgette may also be adapted to this easily made style. The surplice front accentuates the desirable one-line and makes it possible to arrange the fastenings so that the dress is easy to put on and take off. The three buttons at the belt line and two snaps on an inside stay fastened to the underarm seam and which holds the under-edge in place, are the only fastenings necessary.

Two shades of brown were used in the ensemble. Dress, gloves and hose are of cinnamon brown. Shoes and purse are of a darker brown leather. A tan velvet hat trimmed with brown velvet, and tan bands of silk to protect the collar and cuffs of the dress, harmonize with the browns of the costume.

The waistline is marked by a belt set in between the waist and skirt, shaped to continue down the open edge of the skirt as a facing. In back the belt is also shaped to form a square design on the waist, which re-



Brown Wool Voile With Tan Trim-mings and Cinnamon Accessories Were Used for This Coat Frock.

flaves plainness. Slight fullness in the waist is added over the bust by two small tucks in the shoulder, which provide a few gathers at the waist line. Fullness is added to the skirt by two wide tucks in the back.

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No man has a right to be a cynic until the evidence is all in; say, at the age of 113.—The Paper Book.

Mr. Editor:

As I sit in the quiet of our home I find myself living over days long past and experiences which would be novel to the young people of the present.

I am wondering how many of your readers remember Uncle Peter Twitcheil. He lived with his son, Col. Eli Twitcheil, out on the flat beyond West Bethel. Every Sunday morning he would walk the six miles to the village and then up the centre aisle of the church and take his seat directly under the high pulpit. There were the days when the Congregationalist church had been in process with dear to that saint and singer in. Uncle Peter was very deaf and carried a large tin trumpet. Once seated he raised his trumpet and held it during the long service. In those days the sermons were not confined to twenty minutes but covered an hour, and often more, and there were two every Sunday. In that period a minister was thought to be the sole dispenser of religion and the province of those in the pews was to accept without question what was given from the pulpit. There the preacher expounded the text and pounded the pulpit. To believe the doctrine and accept the catechism, every word, was the lesson urged. Naturally in those days of controversy about belief the creed claimed weekly attention and texts were hailed at the congregation to prove the truth of the same. "All through this Uncle Peter sat quietly listening attentively, the trumpet raised to catch the words as they fell from the lips of the preacher. In the swing of the pendulum of public thought there has been loss as well as gain. As men came to recognize the need of individual thinking the break came and today the minister is the co-worker with the pews for the serving forward of the gospel of good news. Meanwhile the younger generation has lost its grip on the church, to a large degree, and no longer feels the impulse to give strict attention to the call to worship. We who have lived in the older days regret some of the changes which have come and certainly by the time of that great which led Uncle Peter to walk the six miles that he might hear the gospel as he believed it. How many are there who today would drive, in their cars, that distance to attend church services.

G. M. Twitcheil.

Bethel, Jan. 29, 1928.

NORTH WATERFORD

Richard Rogers, Wednesday, Jan. 24th with a very small attendance.

The daylight flight is over as the school came back negative last Tuesday.

There are two or three cases of measles in town now but none in the school.

Miss Phyllis Smith spent the week end with Mrs. Arnold B. Brown of Bethel before returning to her school at Yarmouth.

Miss Charlotte Smith was home for the week end from her school in Lovell.

There was a fine supper at the very Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, followed by an illustrated lecture on "The Life of Mabel."

Now, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stone, passed away at the Maine General Hospital at Portland.

The fitting club met at the residence of Mrs. W. I. Hall, Monday evening. After the business meeting singing and smiling were on the program because enjoyed the evening.

GILEAD

Mrs. Elizabeth Leighton of Auburn was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Almena Belmont.

Mrs. Margaret Gallagher of Bethel, N. H., has employment in the home of Mrs. George Leighton.

There was a box supper and dance at the Grange Hall last Saturday night. Herbert Wheeler was a recent visitor in Gorham, N. H.

Mrs. Lena Heath was in visitor in Bethel, Saturday.

Miss Baseline Heath left Saturday morning for Farmington where she will attend normal school.

Miss Mae Briggs spent the week end at her home at West Paris.

Mrs. Ada Cole and Mrs. James Brown and daughter, Gertrude, were in Bethel, N. H., last Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Bennett went to Norway last Saturday.

Mrs. Nora Goodson is confined to her home by illness.

Duncan McPherson spent Sunday at his home in Newry.

A. J. Blake has a new radio in his home.

Mrs. Jack McKenzie of Anson is caring for Mrs. Ethel McKenzie who is ill.

Clayson and Leonard Vashaw, Roy Teague and Charles Mason spent the week end at their homes in So. Bethel.

George Leighton has purchased a new caterpillar tractor.

Paul Cameron has gone to the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin, N. H., for treatment.

NORTH PARIS

The Women's Division of the North Paris Farm Bureau held their first meeting of the year at Community Hall, Thursday, Jan. 19. "Humanity" was the subject discussed under the leadership of the chairman, Mrs. Morris Ellingwood. There was a good attendance. The program for the coming year promises to be very interesting and helpful. There are 15 members now with more planning to join before the next meeting Feb. 11. Kitchen Improvements will be the subject. The meeting is in charge of Mrs. Leroy Abbott and the Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Ella H. Braden, will be present. Mrs. Alvin Hendrickson and Mrs. G. L. Briggs are the dinner committee. If you are planning on repairing your kitchen this spring come and get some suggestions. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. H. D. McMaster visited her brother, Ray Young, in Portland, Saturday, Jan. 21. Mr. Young is failing rapidly. His relatives and friends are sending him a post card showing Wed.nesday, Feb. 1. Mr. Young formerly of West Paris can reside at 47 V. Road Avenue, Portland.

Master Howard McMaster is improving from his recent illness and is able to be a constant again.

James Gibbs is still suffering with his eye which he recently lost while working in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Richardson received the news Tuesday, Jan. 24th, of the birth of a granddaughter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daugherty, Hartford. The little miss has been named Annie Estelle.

Mrs. Florence Pierce and two children, Morris and Alice Pierce, visited Mrs. Lya Howe at West Paris, Friday.

C. L. Morrill returned home from Richmond, Tuesday, where he has been visiting since Christmas. Mr. Morrill has been ill with the grippe for the past two weeks and hasn't fully recovered from his illness.

John Gibbs and W. I. Wheeler are cutting wood for Leroy Abbott and staying in H. E. Coffin's camp.

William Gibbs, Florence Pierce, Caroline Coffin and Lee Abbott were home over the week end from their work in Woodstock.

Madeline Kenagh, who is attending high school at West Paris, spent the week end with her cousin, Esther Wheeler.

Richard Wheeler spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Lorenson Cole, at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cole of West Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kenagh and family, Paris Hill, were callers at S. L. Wheeler's, Sunday.

Misses Colby and Thurlow spent the week end with their parents at South Paris.

Howard McKee of West Paris was in the village sawing wood Saturday.

Mrs. Daniel VanCuren was home over the week end from her work in Norway.

Roland Curtis is taking Winsor Abbott's place selling the Saturday Evening Post and other papers by the same publishers.

John Ross and James Ripley are cutting wood for S. E. Coffin.

EAST BETHEL

No school one day the past week as there was so much water in the basement, caused by the rain.

Hastings Brothers are to load a car of potatoes at Locke's Mills to be shipped to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swan are with E. A. Trank for a few weeks stay.

Mrs. Porter Parwell has gone to Hartford, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. J. Russell, for several days.

Guy Greenwood of New Hampshire is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Rose Bartlett.

W. B. Bartlett, Ceylon Kimball, Russell Swan, H. O. Blake and several others went to Hartford on business Monday, Jan. 30, making the trip by automobile.

Miss Skillings, grammar grade, is teaching Saturdays to make up days lost by illness.

Russell Swan is getting out pulp wood to the river bank for Guy Bartlett.

BRYANT POND

Miss Carrie Cole of Greenwood has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Morgan.

Miss Harriet Abbott is at the Portland Eye and Ear Infirmary where she underwent a serious surgical operation last Friday. She is reported as doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. John Gerrish of Dixfield was a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton York, several days last week.

The annual Knights of Pythias installation of officers was held at their hall on Jan. 23. The following officers were installed by Charles McManis, D. L. T., assisted by Kenneth McManis, S. M. of A., and James Ring as Grand Prelate:

C. C. Roy Morgan.
V. C. Glynn Brooks.
M. of P. Thomas W. Gordon.
M. of W. Theodore Hamham.
P. Ellen Danham.
M. of E. A. Mont Chase.
H. of B. and M. George Farber.
M. of A. Lebed E. Austin.
I. G. Wallace Whitman.
O. G. William Morgan.

An oyster stew supper was served to about 60 members and invited friends. Mrs. Benjamin Abbott is ill with erysipelas.

REPEATERS IN CRIME PROPOSED

NEW theories are being continually advanced for the suppression of crime. Most of the proposals dodge the main issue, namely, swift and effective punishment for the criminal. Why so much sympathy is extended to the criminal class by writers, jurists and feature story writers is hard to understand.

A survey in one of our large and comparatively well regulated cities, reveals that out of every 75 felonies committed, only one offender was ever punished. One, paroled thirteen times, killed an officer. The "repeaters" are a large, serious factor in the whole situation and it was an endeavor to improve this condition that the House's Laws were adopted by the state of New York. Under these laws the severity of a sentence is automatically increased for the second, third, and fourth offenses, the fourth offense entailing life imprisonment.

It is an incontrovertible fact that crime becomes a "profession" in many cases. Prison records show that an offender is released only to be re-committed in many instances for a repetition of his first offense. Public life and property are constantly endangered by these "repeaters" criminals, and the taxpayers are put to an enormous expense by endless trials and retrials.

When only a small percentage of those committing felonies are punished, and when there are countless records showing that a criminal is apprehended time after time for commission of like offenses, it is essential that in all states penalties such as imposed under the House's Laws, which aim to do away with the "repeater" class in the "crime profession," should be adopted.

Instead of making laws more restrictive on law abiding citizens, make these more severe on lawbreakers and criminals.

A Joke in Itself

It is written: "Women have no sense of humor. If they had they wouldn't get mad when we say they haven't."—Boston Transcript.

Portland Suggested as New Terminal

Congressman Carroll Beedy appeared before the United States Shipping Board at Washington recently following the hearing of the sponsors of the proposed four-day trans-Atlantic service and told the members of the board and the officials of the Transoceanic Corporation proposing to establish the service that Portland offered facilities more desirable than any other port of the Atlantic to serve as the home terminal for the Blue Ribbon service.

"I should like to congratulate you gentlemen upon the splendid project you are sponsoring," Congressman Beedy declared. "I have been following with interest your plans. Of course a special law will have to be passed by Congress to make possible such service and I believe Congress should look with favor upon the passage of such a bill. I am certain I would."

"And speaking for the people of Maine, I feel confident that I am expressing their sentiment when I say they are in hearty accord with the proposal."

"As you gentlemen have pointed out, the terminal facilities of this proposed service are of the utmost importance. I advise you to think long before you locate your terminal on Long Island."

"I will state the fact that at Portland we have facilities which should offer a great inducement to you to locate your home terminal at that harbor. For instance water in most harbors is so shallow that boats upon entering must necessarily slow down in their speed. At the month of the Portland Harbor a condition exists that cannot be found at any harbor on the North Atlantic coast. The water is so deep that such a ship as will be used in the four day service might run at full speed to within three miles of the new State pier."

"The new State pier is another inducement. It has just been completed at a cost of \$1,000,000. It is 1,000 feet long and could very conveniently serve for the new ships which will measure 900 feet. In addition to the excellent freight service, the pier has the best immigration service in the country. At the edge of the pier the water has a depth of 35 feet at mean low tide."

"We, of Maine, call the attention of the board and organization to the facilities of Portland and request serious consideration of our harbor as a terminal for the new four day service."

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. H. W. Kessell is visiting in Augusta.
Miss Helen Harris spent the week end at West Paris.
Several men have been laid off at the Morrill, Adams Co. mill.
Miss Beatrice Lynne of Rumford and Miss Thelma Lynne attended the carnival at Berlin, Saturday.
Kenneth Rolfe has gone to Readfield.
Channing Scribner is ill with a severe cold.
W. S. Robertson has not been well the past week.
Mrs. A. J. Hutchinson was ill Friday and Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wight and children of Norway were at E. B. Whitman's, Sunday.
Mrs. Adrian Grover and daughters visited at E. F. Bean's, Sunday.
Mrs. Leon Hutchinson and daughter, Florence, spent Sunday at Ervin Hutchinson's.
Melville Jordan has gone to New York City.
Chas. Bennett and family were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

HANOVER

The C. A. A. basketball team played the Men's Gym Class of Bethel, Thursday evening, resulting in favor of the C. A. A.
Mrs. C. F. Saunders attended the Lecturers' Conference held in Augusta last week.
The Hanover school held a whist party at the home of Mrs. Rita Smith, Friday evening. There were eight tables enjoying the game, Eli Stearns winning first prize.
The Library Association served light refreshments after the basketball game Thursday evening, and a goodly sum was realized.
Mrs. Minnie Thompson is staying with Mrs. Alice Staples for the present.
Friends of H. E. Dyer were glad to see him out on the streets recently.
Miss Blanche Russell and Mrs. Grace Russell recently entertained the Ladies' Aid at their home. Dinner was served to about twenty-five; the afternoon was spent in sewing and knitting as well as sociability.

UPTON

People in town are taking advantage of the good weather to harvest their ice. Ray Thompson and Leslie Fuller have been cutting, with C. A. Judkins, who has hauled his own, also J. H. McLeod's, J. O. Douglass' and Albert Fuller's. A. W. Judkins is hauling his own ice by team.
Mrs. Ben Barnett and Mrs. Wm. Barnett with their smallest children spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. Henrietta Richards and her mother, Mrs. Emma. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Richards are rejoicing over the arrival of a tiny pound girl.
Chas. Chase remains about the same. His nurse is still in attendance.
Mrs. Mary Vail spent Tuesday with Mrs. Grace Barnett.
Mrs. Adelle Colby was a recent guest of Thelma Fuller.

NORTHWEST BETHEL

Miss Vivian Eagle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Grace Stearns.
Miss Marion Skillings spent the week end with her parents.
Herman Skillings and Floyd Coolidge are hauling pulp to the river for A. E. Horvick.
Mrs. Floyd Coolidge called at W. E. Coolidge's, East Bethel, Saturday.
The show plow broke the roads through here Monday so cars are running again.
Miss Mary Cutler visited with her sister, Mrs. Philip Brown, last week.

SOUTH ALBANY

Robert Hill was in Lovell recently on business.
Mrs. Howard Allen went to Bethel, Sunday, to care for Mrs. Sherman Allen who is sick.
Roy Wardwell and Hugh Little spent wood for James Kimball and E. R. Shedd last week Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown called at James Kimball's, Monday afternoon.
David McAllister is paddling fish through this locality.
Charlie Fullerton is spending some time at his father's, C. M. Fullerton's. Abel Andrews was a week end guest of his son, Arthur, at Bryant Pond.
Elmer Henley recently bought a horse of Fred Littlefield.
Lester Walker has gone to Lovell to work with Mr. Hill's team.
Fredric Scribner was dinner guest of his friend, Donald Brown, Saturday.
Ernest Brown recently bought a pair of steers of David McAllister.
Rev. W. L. Ball conducted the services at the Albany church Sunday.
Round Mt. Grange is to have an all day meeting Saturday, Feb. 4. A large attendance is hoped for.
Mrs. Roy Wardwell was at North Waterford last week Thursday.
Donald Lewis is cutting wood for Bernard Allen.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gorman were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill of Mason were guests at Robert Clough's, Sunday.
Mrs. L. J. Andrews and daughter, Mrs. Albert Kenniston, were callers at E. C. Lapham's one day last week.
Carlton Penley with Walter Lapham have gone to Stoneham to haul pulp for a short time.
Mrs. Charles Gorman was on the sick list last week.
Mrs. E. O. Donahue and baby were callers at Charles Gorman's, Friday.
Miss Mildred Graffam has finished her school at Songo and gone to her sister's in Rockport.
Mrs. Carlton Penley and two children were guests at A. B. Kimball's, Sunday.
School closed at Songo Jan. 20th. The neighbors gave the teacher, Miss Graffam, a party Saturday evening, Jan. 28th at Carlton Penley's. A good time was enjoyed by all. Coffee, cake, pop corn, candy and peanuts were served.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lapham and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kenniston and family.
Charles Gorman has finished work in Gosham.
The Bethel snow plow came out through here Saturday night doing good work. We have a fine road from the town hall to Bethel.
Mrs. Hugh Little was a caller at Charles Gorman's one day last week.
Mrs. Winnie Emery visited with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Lapham, Tuesday.

SOUTH WATERFORD

Miss Gladys Moulton of Sweden was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Hamlin, for several days last week.
Friends of Richard Sanborn are pleased that he was able to ride out a little ways a few days ago, after being confined to the house for a number of weeks.
Mrs. Frank Shaw, who is gaining slowly after another ill turn, is still with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Green.
W. W. Abbott is improving from one of his heart attacks but is not yet able to be out again.
Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Holt of North Waterford spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Holt's aunt, Mrs. Ida Biggs and Mrs. Eliza Charles.

The Religious School met as usual on Saturday afternoon with nearly a full attendance. Rev. A. C. Townsend was present to assist in the school. Miss Ada Curtis is also assisting Miss Montague during the week period.
In spite of the fact that the electric lights were off duty until nearly seven o'clock and the street were filled with water after the heavy rain, a large number of people were out to the community supper held in the Grange Hall Wednesday night. The moving picture, "The Wild Man of Mexico," by Zam Grey was enjoyed by a good audience.
The all day Grange meeting on Saturday was well attended. There was a forenoon business session, at noon a beautiful dinner was served with Mrs. Irving Bell and Mrs. Frank Morgan serving on the committee. A pleasing program was given in the afternoon in charge of Mrs. Arthur Kingman and the Lecturer, Miss Lillian Kimball.
On Sunday evening in the Grange Hall, Rev. A. C. Townsend gave a lecture on "The Glory that is Mine," using the stereopticon slides prepared by the Maine Missionary Society. The pictures were much appreciated as they showed views of many of the beauty spots in Maine and other interesting features.
The next Sunday evening service will be held at the home of Mrs. W. W. Goodwin on the evening of Feb. 5th.

NEWRY

Mrs. Roy Moore visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson, the week end.
P. M. Walker has been loading a car load of skunks the past week. O. H. Leonard hauled them to Bethel with his truck.
Miss Hazel Smith was at home from Gould Academy last Friday.
H. R. Powers filed W. H. Bond's ice house last week and is now getting his own ice.

CHANDLER HILL

James Hodgkins, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Year Bean, returned to Mechanic Falls, Saturday afternoon.
O. Pingree was in Bethel, Monday of this week.
V. Bean and Chas. Stevens have been hauling some good looking hay from Hanover way.
There is fine skating to be had on V. Bean's meadow. About five acres were flooded by the recent rain.
Wesley Bean has been confined to the house with a bad cold.
Part of V. Bean's crew are now cutting pine, spruce and hemlock logs for the mill.
Harry Isaacson made a rail on the hill, Monday. Only had to be pulled out of the snow drifts once.



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NORTH NORWAY

Guy Ingalls, who has been sick the last week or two, is able to be out again.

J. G. Farnum had the misfortune to lose one of his work horses a few days ago.

Mrs. Mabel Symonds is visiting in Greenland for a few days.

C. A. Haskell, our local telephone operator, is ill with erysipelas in his face.

One of Cleon Perkins' horses cut its leg very badly last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Cummings of West Paris called on their mother, Mrs. Florence Cummings, at E. T. Jenkins' the last of the week.

There was no school at Swift's Corner, Wednesday, on account of bad weather and traveling.

The Circle at Norway Center church was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Will Delano, Mrs. Mabel Holman and Mrs. Louise Knightly. There was a large attendance in spite of weather and traveling.

Ros and Carl Upton, also John Biss were callers at H. C. Heath's, Sunday afternoon.

There was a social at the chapel schoolhouse Saturday night. The attendance was small, but a good time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Curtis were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wright of Wrightstone Manor.

Mr. Knightley's oil truck had some trouble in climbing the hill near C. Morse's to deliver gas and oil to the filling station at the top of the hill Sunday. However, help soon arrived and with a little assistance the truck pulled gallantly up on its own.

SOUTH PARIS

Richard Blake of North Norway was the village recently to visit his mother, who is critically ill.

Mrs. Agnes Walker has been assisting her brother, William Mason, with house work at South Bethel.

Mrs. Nellie Whitman has been visiting Mrs. Melissa Tuell at Bethel.

Miss Charlotte Cole while home from Normal School over the week end came down with the mumps.

Mr. Eva Ordway, principal of the school, who has been ill all her life, is now registered for a year at the New England Sanatorium, Melrose, Mass.

The award of damages for land of W. Frothingham taken for the widening of Main and Pine Streets has been decided. The award of the selection is \$1039 to Mr. Frothingham. The referee referees gives Mr. Frothingham \$1200.

Wesley Wheeler announces himself a candidate for senator of Oxford county. Mr. Wheeler is a member of the Wheeler Insurance Co., and has represented the legislative district of Paris and Oxford, and has served on the important committee of corporations and financial affairs.

One of the high school students of Norway, Saturday afternoon is carnival. Norway was the winner with 43 points, Rumford 29 points, South Paris 24.

One of the sports of the town helped up the two hundred who paid to the boxing exhibition at Norway House, Wednesday evening.

Mr. Burnett of South Paris won decision over Battling Nelson in fourth round of the main bout.

Red Bean passed away at his home the county fair grounds early morning. He had been in full health for some time and obliged his work in the shoe shop. He left his wife, one son, Maurice of Paris, six grandchildren and great grandchildren.

NORTH NEWRY

Marine Hutchins is in Livermore visiting her sister who has been ill.

Vail was in Rumford, Sunday.

Hammond children have been ill for grip and unable to attend school past week.

Mrs. Vail was at H. H. Mort's the last of the week.

Mrs. in town close Feb. 3 for a week's vacation.

Mr. Farnum's father, who has been ill for some time, had on last week. Dr. Twaddle was in town.

Mr. Herbert Morton was in Rumford days the first of the week.

Mr. Hartley Hanson spent Friday at daughter, Mrs. David Ensign.

Mr. Tuck, Capt. of Sebecus, called at E. Wright's, Thursday. The "Head of Tide" school closes Tuesday.

Thompson is doing chores for Kilgore. Mr. Kilgore is going to woods with his team to work for Marshall.

Mr. Morton called at L. E. Wright's yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Wright was in Hanover, Friday.

Mrs. T. F. Saunders of Hanover were callers at Dave Kania's.

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GIRLS' AND BOYS' COATS from \$2.98 to \$4.98	Hardy Pear BLANKETS 66x80 \$1.79	50c and 65c LUMBERMEN'S Heavy Stockings 39c	Lockwood SHEETING 36 inches wide per yd. 14c	Short Lengths GINGHAM 3 yds. to 12 yds. in piece per yd. 14c
MEN'S Round Neck & V-Neck SWEATERS from \$2.98 to \$6.39	BOYS' JACKETS from \$1.39 to \$2.98	Men's Heavy Union Suits Cotton Ribbed FIRST THREE DAYS ONLY 98c	OUTING FLANNEL 36 inches wide per yd. 17c	SUNSET SOAP DYES 10c
MEN'S SHEEP SKIN COATS from \$5.98 to \$9.98 were \$9.00 to \$12.00	A Few MEN'S SUITS Blue, Brown and Grey to close out at \$9.00		CRASH part linen per yd. 11c	Brunswick PILLOW TUBING 40 and 42 in. wide per yd. 32c
BOYS' Winter Union Suits part wool 89c	MEN'S DRESS HATS from \$1.75 to \$3.98	<p>Hundreds of other bargains not mentioned on account of lack of space, but come and look over the bargains we have. We are absolutely sure to satisfy you. Do not forget the name and place.</p>	Stevens' LINEN CRASH per yd. 21c	Horner Allen's YARN 3 3/4 ounces All colors per skein 42c
LADIES' HATS from \$2.50 to \$5.00 now \$1.39	Small Lot GIRLS' COATS 8 to 12 years \$2.98		Oxford Wool Flannel Cotton Warp assorted colors 54 inches wide per yd. 79c	LOCKWOOD SHEETING Bleached 9-1 per yd. 47c Unbleached, per yd. 43c
MEN'S OVERCOATS from \$9.00 to \$16.50	MEN'S PANTS All sizes \$1.79 to \$4.98		MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS \$1.49 and \$2.49	BOYS' Top Notch LEATHER TOP RUBBERS \$2.29

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